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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Tuesday, 12 October 1993

SECURITY COUNCIL

3.30 p.m.	consultations of the whole (closed)	Consultation Room

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

10 a.m.	26th PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall

Continuation of the general debate [9]:

Trinidad and Tobago

Myanmar

Barbados

San Marino

3:00 p.m.	27th PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall

Continuation of the general debate [9]:

Guinea-Bissau

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Address by His Excellency The Honourable Tofilau Eti Alesana, M.P., Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Independent State of Western Samoa.

Grenada

Malawi

Azerbaijan

Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE

3 p.m.-6 p.m. — 7th meeting — Conference Room 2

Conclusion of the general debate

Estonia
Palestine (observer)
World Bank
Uganda
Iran (Islamic Republic of)
Jordan
Bangladesh
Organization of African Unity (IGO)
Republic of Korea
Israel
Kenya
Sudan
Thailand
Philippines
Peru
Syrian Arab Republic
Togo
Senegal
Congo
Slovenia
Nigeria

THIRD COMMITTEE

3 p.m.-6 p.m. — 4th meeting — Conference Room 1

1. Elimination of racism and racial discrimination [107] (A/48/18, A/48/76-S/25230, A/48/81, A/48/118, A/48/291-S/26242, A/48/423, A/48/438, A/48/439)

2. Right of peoples to self-determination [108]

   (a) Right of peoples to self-determination (A/48/94, A/48/207, A/48/211, A/48/307, A/48/330, A/48/357, A/48/384, A/48/385)

General discussion

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE)

10 a.m.-1 p.m. — 3rd meeting — Conference Room 4

1. Requests for hearing (A/C.4/48/2 and Add.1-2, A/C.4/48/3, A/C.4/48/4 and Add.1)

2. Agenda items 18, 116, 117, 118 and 12 and 119 (A/48/3 (Chapter V (sect. A), A/48/23 (Parts II to VII), A/48/95*-S/25364*, 224 and Corr. 1 and Add.1-3, 426, 436 and 443; A/AC.109/1137-1139, 1141-1153, 1155-1158, 1161, 1163, 1164 and 1170; A/AC.109/L.1805; E/1993/98; S/25170, S/25818 and S/26185)

   Hearing of representatives of Non-Self-Governing Territories

   Guam

   Gibraltar

   Hearing of petitioners (A/C.4/48/2 and Add.1 and 2; A/C.4/48/4 and Add.1)

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-1 p.m. — 8th meeting — Trusteeship Council Chamber

Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization [146] (A/48/33 and Corr.1; A/48/140-S/25597; A/48/205-S/25923;A/48/209-S/25937;A/48/379-S/26411and A/48/445-S/26501 and A/48/398)

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COMMITTEE OF TRUSTEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS TRUST FUND FOR SOUTH AFRICA

3 p.m. — 94th meeting (closed) — Conference Room 5

ADVISORY COMMITTEE OF THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL AND TRAINING PROGRAMME FOR SOUTHERN AFRICA (UNETPSA)

4.15 p.m.-6 p.m. — 72nd meeting (closed) — Conference Room 5

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

COMMITTEE FOR PROGRAMME AND COORDINATION

Thirty-third session

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

Programme questions [4]

(a) Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 (in fascicle form)

A/48/6: Consideration of sections 7, 12A, 12B, 22A and 22b

OTHER MEETINGS

AFRICAN GROUP: GROUP OF EXPERTS ON ECONOMIC MATTERS

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 8

GROUP OF LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN STATES

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5

COORDINATING BUREAU OF THE NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 3

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United Nations Industrial Development Organization

Briefing

The Director of External Relations of UNIDO, Mr. A. Kayalar, will brief delegations *today*, 12 October at 10 a.m. (*English*) and again at 3 p.m. (*French*) in Conference Room E on the forthcoming Fifth General Conference of UNIDO to be held 6 to 10 December in Yaounde, Cameroon. The Director will also brief delegations on the proposals of the UNIDO Director-General on the programme priorities and restructuring of the UNIDO Secretariat.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Wednesday, 13 October 1993

10 a.m.	28th PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall

Continuation of the general debate [9]:

Federated States of Micronesia

Solomon Islands

Address by His Excellency The Right Honourable Girija Prasad Koirala, Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of Nepal

Belize

Saudi Arabia

3 p.m. 29th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Conclusion of the general debate [9].

   Liberia

   Equatorial Guinea

2. Observer status for the Economic Cooperation Organization in the General Assembly: draft resolution (A/48/L.1) [150].

3. Observer status for the Permanent Court of Arbitration in the General Assembly: draft resolution (A/48/L.4) [153].

4. Observer status for the Latin American Parliament in the General Assembly: draft resolution (A/48/L.3) [157].

5. Observer status for the Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe in the General Assembly: draft resolution (A/48/L.6) [158].

Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 8th meeting
3 p.m. 9th meeting
Conference Room 2

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 6th meeting
Conference Room 1

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 9th meeting
3 p.m. 10th meeting
Trusteeship Council Chamber

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m. closed meeting
3 p.m. closed meeting
Conference Room 10

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The FIRST COMMITTEE will hold and organizational meeting on Thursday, 14 October 1993, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 4.

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DISARMAMENT AND INTERNATIONAL SECURITY COMMITTEE (FIRST COMMITTEE)

The Disarmament and International Security Committee (First Committee) is scheduled to begin its general debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items on Monday, 18 October 1993.

Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of speakers for the general debate are urged to notify the Secretariat of the First Committee (Ext. 4272).

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The COMMITTEE ON RELATIONS WITH THE HOST COUNTRY will meet on Friday, 15 October 1993, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 8.

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OTHER MEETINGS

The CONTACT GROUP OF THE ORGANIZATION OF THE ISLAMIC CONFERENCE ON BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA will hold a closed meeting on Wednesday, 13 October 1993, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 8.

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The JOINT UNITED NATIONS/INTER-PARLIAMENTARY UNION MEETING OF PARLIAMENTARIANS ATTENDING THE FORTY-EIGHTH SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY will be held on Thursday, 14 October 1993, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in Conference Room 6.

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There will be a closed meeting of the GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE *(Briefing on agenda item 96 (International Conference on Population and Development)* on Thursday, 14 October 1993, from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. in Conference Room 9.

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Briefing

The International Rehabilitation Council for Torture Victims (IRCT), in cooperation with the Rehabilitation and Research Centre for Torture Victims (RCT), Copenhagen, Denmark, and the Center for Victims of Torture (CVT), USA, will brief delegations on Thursday, 14 October 1993, at 11 a.m. in Conference Room 5 on the Voluntary Fund for Victims of Torture.

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Disarmament Week Symposium

A Symposium on the occasion of the Disarmament Week is to be held on 26 and 27 October 1993, from 9.30 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Dag Hammarsjköld Library Auditorium.

All interested delegations, accredited media representatives, non governmental organizations, representatives and United Nations staff members are invited to attend.

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Prepared texts for distribution in the meeting room and to the press

In order to allow distribution of prepared texts of speeches made in the plenary meetings and in the Main Committees of the General Assembly to delegations, specialized agencies, observers, interpreters, record-writers and press officers, 300 copies are required. Those copies should be given in advance of delivery of the speech to the Conference officer, in order to help the Secretariat to provide the best possible service. For distribution in the General Assembly Hall, texts should be delivered to the documents counter on the left side of the hall.

In order to facilitate press coverage of statements made in plenary meetings and in the Main Committees of the General Assembly, an additional 150 copies are required for distribution to accredited correspondents in the press area. Those copies should be delivered in advance of the speech to the Press Documents Counter, Room S-390. As soon as received, the availability of the texts will be announced through the press paging system by the Correspondents Liaison Unit, Department of Public Information.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Monday, 11 October 1993

SECURITY COUNCIL

3289th meeting

The question concerning Haiti

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President made a statement on behalf of the Council (S/26567).

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

24th plenary meeting

Continuation of the general debate [9]

The General Assembly heard statements by H.E. The Honourable John Kaputin, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Papua New Guinea; H.E. Mr. Vahan Papazian, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Armenia; H.E. Ratu Manasa K. Seniloli, Chairman of the Delegation of Fiji; Her Excellency The Honourable Dr. Gaositwe K.T. Chiepe, P.M.S., M.B.E., M.P., Minister for Foreign Affairs of Botswana; H.E. Dr. Juan Arístides Taveras Guzman, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs of the Dominican Republic; H.E. Mr. Hedayat Amin Arsala, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Afghanistan.

25th plenary meeting

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations (Article 19 of the Charter) (A/48/414/Add.6) [127]

The General Assembly took note that Chad had made the necessary payment to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter.

Continuation of the general debate [9]

The General Assembly heard statements by H.E. Mr. Mpinga Kasenda, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Zaire; H.E. The Honourable Orville Alton Turnquest, Deputy Prime Minister, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Attorney General of the Bahamas; Her Excellency Mrs. Claudette Werleigh, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Worship of Haiti; H.E. Mr. Somsavat Lengsavad, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Lao People's Democratic Republic; H.E. The Honourable Brian Alleyne, Minister for External Affairs of Dominica; H.E. The Honourable William George Mallet, Deputy Prime Minister, Minister for Home Affairs, Foreign Affairs, Trade and Industry of Saint Lucia.

Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE 5th meeting

General debate

The Committee continued its general debate and heard statements by the representatives of Algeria, New Zealand, Chile, Malaysia, Bulgaria, China, Sri Lanka, Indonesia, India, Finland (also on behalf of Denmark, Iceland, Norway and Sweden), and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

6th meeting

General debate

The Committee continued its general debate and heard statements by the representatives of Cuba, Ukraine, the Netherlands, Honduras, Pakistan, Canada, Madagascar, Australia, Fiji, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Belarus, Nicaragua, Turkey, Malta, Ghana and Cameroon.

The representative of the United States of America made a statement in the exercise of his right of reply.

THIRD COMMITTEE 3rd meeting

Elimination of racism and racial discrimination [107]

Right of peoples to self-determination

The Committee began its consideration of the items.

An introductory statement was made by the Assistant Secretary-General for Human Rights.

Statements were made by the representatives of Belgium (on behalf of the European Community) and the United States.

The Chairman reminded the Committee that the list of speakers under items 107 and 108 (a) would be closed at 12 noon on Tuesday, 12 October.

SIXTH COMMITTEE 7th meeting

Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization [146]

Statements were made by the representatives of Brazil, the Czech Republic, Colombia, Belarus, China, the Libyan arab

Jamahiriya, the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Spain.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

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SPECIAL COMMITTEE AGAINST APARTHEID 670th meeting

International Day of Solidarity with South African Political Prisoners

The President of the General Assembly, the President of the Security Council and the representative of the Secretary-General made statements.

The Chairman made a statement.

At the invitation of the Chairman, the observers of the African National Congress of South Africa and the Pan Aficanist Congress of Azania and the First Secretary of the Permanent Observer Mission of Palestine made statements.

The Special Committee received messages from the Head of State of Nigeria and from the Ministers of Foreign Affairs of Algeria, Guinea and Libyan Arab Jamahiriya. It also received a message from the European Community and its Member States.

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COMMITTEE ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD
Fourth session
United Nations Office at Geneva

TUESDAY, 5 OCTOBER 1993

97th and 98th meetings

Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 44 of the Convention [8]

The Committee continued its consideration of this item and began its consideration of the initial report of Rwanda (CRC/8/Add.1).

In accordance with rule 68 of the Committee's provisional rles of procedure, representatives of the State party were present at those meetings and responded to the questions raised by members of the Committee.

WEDNESDAY, 6 OCTOBER 1993

99th meeting (closed)

Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 44 of the Convention [8]

The Committee continued its consideration of this item in closed meeting.

100th meeting

Other matters [15]

The Committee began its consideration of this item.

THURSDAY, 7 OCTOBER 1993

101st meeting

Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 44 of the Convention [8]

The Committee continued its consideration of this item.

102nd meeting

Other matters [15]

The Committee continued its consideration of this item.

FRIDAY, 8 OCTOBER 1993

103rd meeting

Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 44 of the Convention [8]

The Committee continued its consideration of this item and adopted its concluding observations following the consideration of the initial reports of Peru, El Salvador, the Sudan and Costa Rica and preliminary observations following the Committee's consideration of the reports of Indonesia and Rwanda.

104th meeting

The Committee adopted its report.

The President closed the fourth session of the Committee.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide, adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 9 December 1948

Accession: Georgia (11 October 1993)*

Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal, concluded at Basel on 22 March 1989

Accession: Malaysia (8 October 1993)*

Convention on Biological Diversity, opened for signature at Rio de Janeiro on 5 June 1992

Ratification: Philippines (8 October 1993)*

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* The date of receipt of the relevant document.

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